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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED MAY 25, 2006

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the office action dated May 25, 2006 in which the office set forth a restriction requirement in which the applicant was required to elect species. This response is due November 25, 2006 by virtue of the attached petition and fee for a 5 month extension of time to response.

Amendment to the Specification: there are no amendments to the specification.

Amendment to the Claims: there are no amendments to the claims.

Remarks begin at page 2 of this paper.